(b) whether Mr. K. Ravunni Menon, the Vice-Chancellor of the Madras University, had any part in the discussion of the said plans by the University authorities;

(c) whether the Government are aware of Mr. K. Ravunni Menon's opinion on the decision of the Government not to shift the Maharaja's College to Ramavarmapuram ?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—(a) No.

(b) Mr. Ravunni Menon as Vice-Chancellor presides over the Syndicate which discusses the plans.

(c) No.

402. **Mr. Paul Mampilli.**—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(1) whether the Legislative Council was given an opportunity to express its views before the Government decided to shift the College to Ramavarmapuram; if so, when and how and if not, why not;

(2) whether the Government had published their proceedings just on the eve of the last general election to the Legislative Council to the effect that the matter of the transfer of the College would depend upon the decision of the Council and that the Government kept an open mind in the affair ?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—(1) Yes.

The Council had opportunities to express its views, when the demands for the scheme were submitted to its vote during budget sessions.

(2) No proceedings were published by the Government just on the eve of the last general election. But the question of the location of the College had been re-opened in the Vrischigam Session of 1106 and was before the public.

Buildings—Ramavarampuram.

403. **Mr. Paul Mampilli.**—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the date on which the foundation stone of the Ramavarmapuram College buildings was laid by the Ex-Diwan;

(b) the date on which the Government passed orders to lay the foundation stone on the said date;

(c) when were the tenders called for the construction of the Hostel buildings at Ramavarmapuram;

(d) was there any Gazette notification calling for tenders; if not, why not;

(e) how many contractors offered their tenders;
when were they informed to offer their tenders;

(f) is there any approved list of contractors in the State; were all of them informed regarding the contracts;

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(g are not the Hostel buildings constructed at Rama varmapuram identical in size, architecture and cost;

(h) were the contract to construct these buildings given to the same contractor; if not, what are the rates at which the contract was given to each;

if there is any difference in the rates, why was the distinction made;

(i) what was the lowest tender for each building;

(j) was any one given the contract for the construction of any of the Hostel buildings without a tender?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) 4th April 1930 corresponding to 22nd Meenam 1105.

(b) No special orders were issued.

(c) 12th March 1930.

(d) Yes.

The second part of the question does not arise.

(e) 7 contractors.

Vide answer to question (c) above.

(f) Yes.

Yes, by Gazette notification as usual.

(g) There is a similarity in the architecture of the buildings constructed in Ramavarmapuram but they are not all of the same size, shape and cost.

(h) No.

Mr. K. N. Pillai at 3 per cent less and Messrs. V. K. Narayana Menon and N. O Inasu at estimated rates.

The lowest tenders were accepted.

(i) Block No. 1 3 per cent less.
" 2 Estimated rates.
" 3 do
" 4 do

(j) No.

404. Mr. Paul Mampilli—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the names of persons whose lands have been acquired for the purpose of constructing a Residential College at Ramavarmapuram, and the extent of land belonging to each person;

(b) what was the price awarded by the Diwan Peishkar per acre or per cent of land acquired in each case and what was the price paid by such persons for purchasing the land and the dates of such purchase?

Rao Sahib Mr. T. V. Kasturi Ranga Ayyar.—A statement giving the available information is appended. (*Appendix IV*).

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APPENDIX IV.

(Vide Answer to Question No 404.)

Serial No.	Names of persons whose lands are acquired	Extent acquired Acre. Cent.	Land value awarded per acre	Price paid by parties for the whole area	Date of purchase	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Mr. E. F. Norman	51 06	Rs. A. P. 662 15 2	Rs. 10,000	22 11 99	Being a Rubber Estate the value was fixed captalising the net yield from the estate. The amount shown in column 4 does not include the value of buildings
2	Konkoth Pazhayemadathil Sankunny Menon	10 30	100 0 0	Rs. 374 for 10 acres 35 cents	15 9 1100	The price shown in column 5 includes the value of improvements
3	Padinjarpurakkal Carpenter Ayyappan Sankaran Nanu	3 84	100 0 0	Rs. 15 for 16 cents	29 4 02	
4	Choondal Antony's wife Annamma	... 63	100 0 0	Not available	Not available	
5	Immathy Varied Lazar	... 50	175 0 0	do	do	
6	Immathy Anthony Varu	... 51	175 0 0	do	do	
7	Do Antony Antony	... 26	175 0 0	do	do	
8	Cheriath Nathan Raphel	... 33	175 0 0	do	do	

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APPENDIX IV(*cont.*)

Serial No.	Names of persons whose lands are acquired	Extent acquired Acre. Cent.	Land value awarded per acre	Price paid by parties for the whole area	Date of purchase	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
			Rs. A. P.			
9	Kanarangot Parangodan's wife Kothamma	... 67	150 0 0	Not available	Not available	
10	Immathy Kunjipalu Variath and Anthony Pyloth	90 2 11	100 0 0 500 0 0	do	do	
11	Viyyur Church	5 75	150 0 0	do	do	
12	Chakkalakkal Lazar Rappai	42 25	100 0 0 500 0 0	do	do	
13	Chandy Chakkunny Thoma	16 99 3 30	175 0 0 500 0 0	Rs. 843 0 11 for 12·58acres	21 8 94	The amount shown in column 5 includes the value of improvements
14	Vengallor Manakkal Thuppan Nambooripad	4 22	175 0 0	Not available	Not available	
15	Immathy Lonappan Devassy	.. 52	175 0 0	do	do	
		... 74	100 0 0	do	do	
		... 47	50 0 0	do	do	
16	Madathumpadi Devassi Ouseph	1 30	175 0 0	do	do	

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APPENDIX IV—(*cont.*)

Serial No.	Names of persons whose lands are acquired	Extent acquired Acre. Cent.	Land value awarded per acre Rs. A. P.	Price paid by parties for the whole area	Date of purchase	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
17	Puthenveetil Bernard Elizabeth	.. 33	150 0 0	Not available	Not available	
18	Do do Rosi	.. 76	150 0 0	Rs. 50	29 9 91	The amount shown column 5 includes the value of improvements.
19	Kannanaickan Kanjiraparambil Uduppu Chakku	.. 41	100 0 0	Not available	Not available	
20	Puduakara Lazar Ouseph	1 38	100 0 0	do	do	
21	Kanakkaprdam Anthappan Thomakutty	3 06	100 0 0	1.52 ac. for Rs. 50 1 ac. for Rs. 50	30 10 02 2 12 02	The amount in column 5 includes the value of improvements.
22	Palisseri Puranchu Chakku	1 52	100 0 0	Not available	Not available	
23	Puthenpetta Angady Immathy Alesa	1 66	100 0 0	1.52 ac. for Rs. 65	1104	do
24	Pampurakkal Ezham Pankanmundan	1 50	100 0 0	Not available	Not available	
25	Plankoottathil Pothi Narayanan Ezhuthassan	2 51	100 0 0	do	do	
26	Dr. Ambadi Rama Poduval	6 04	100 0 0	6.37 ac. for Rs. 2,350	30 2 99	do
27	Puspagiri Gramam Gothanna Rama Sastri	24 48	60 0 0	Not available	Not available	
		18 03	100 0 0	do	do	
		23 43	125 0 0	do	do	
28	Mulakunnathukavu Devaswam	6 47	100 0 0	do	do	
29	Edakkunni Warriar	4 59	75 0 0	do	do	
		11 57	100 0 0	do	do	
		15 05	256 0 0	do	do	
30	Kulangara Brahmaswam Narayana Guru Swami	2 55	80 0 0	do	do	
31	Ittianath Puthen Veettil Sree Madhavi Devi Amma	12 59	87 8 0	9 ac. 47 c. for Rs. 710—4—0	15 7 110	The amount in column 5 includes the value of improvements.